

July 22, 1942.

Mr. Choppy Gardner,  
54 East 107th St.,  
New York City.

Dear Friend:

I am writing to acknowledge receipt of your letter of July 19th and thank you very much for it.

I was not at all surprised to hear you had so much to do with the articles in P M. I have just one criticism to offer, I cannot understand you ignoring Buck Leonard in speaking of the best Colored ball players. I guess it was just an oversight, however, the articles was truly very nice and publicity like that in a Paper like that is really priceless.

I hope to see you soon and be able to discuss our baseball at great length. There is certainly lots of talk going around at this time, it is hard to say what might come of it.

Again thanks a lot. Hope to see you soon.

Very truly yours,

EM:CCJ